





IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **Method And Apparatus For Exchanging Routing Information Within An Autonomous System In A Packet-Based Data Network** the specification of which was filed on February 27, 2002 as application Serial No. 10/085568.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by an amendment, if any, specifically referred to in this oath or declaration.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information known to me which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, 1.56.

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